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PATENT APPLICATION

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Sir:

Applicants hereby request a one-month extension of time in which to respond to the Office Action, dated August 14, 2002, hereby extending the period for response for the Office Action from November 14, 2002 to December 14, 2002.

Please charge **Deposit Account No. 50-0762** the amount of \$110.00, to cover the extension fee. In the event of non-payment or improper payment of a required fee, the Commissioner is authorized to charge or to credit Deposit Account No. 50-0762 as required to correct the error. Duplicate copies of this letter are enclosed.

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